

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 8408, the “Air-craft Certification Reform and Accountability Act”; H.R. 8266, the “FEMA Assistance Relief Act of 2020”; H.R. 4358, the “Preliminary Damage Assessment Improvement Act of 2019”; H.R. 8326, the “CED Act”; H.R. 4611, the “Ocean Pollution Reduction Act II”; H.R. 5919, the “National Children’s Museum Act”; and General Service Administration’s Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions. H.R. 8266, H.R. 4358, H.R. 4611, and H.R. 5919 were ordered reported, as amended. H.R. 8408 and H.R. 8326 were ordered reported, without amendment. General Service Administration’s Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions were adopted.

MISSION CRITICAL: ASSESSING  
COMMUNITY CARE WAIT TIMES

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs:* Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “MISSION Critical: Assessing Community Care Wait Times”. Testimony was heard from Sharon Silas, Director, Health Care, Government Accountability Office; Steven Lieberman, Acting Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Health, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

EXAMINING VA’S ONGOING EFFORTS IN  
THE ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD  
MODERNIZATION PROGRAM

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs:* Subcommittee on Technology Modernization held a hearing entitled “Examining VA’s Ongoing Efforts in the Electronic Health Record Modernization Program”. Testimony was heard from John Windom, Executive Director, Office of Electronic Health Record Modernization, Department of Veterans Affairs; William Tinston, Director, Federal Electronic Health Record Modernization Program Office, Department of Veterans Affairs; and a public witness.

## BUSINESS MEETING

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Full Committee held a business meeting on approval of releasing the China Deep Dive Report and the STAR Emerging Technologies Report. Release of the China Deep Dive Report and release of the STAR Emerging Technologies Report were approved. This meeting was closed.

*Joint Meetings*

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY,  
OCTOBER 1, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

## Senate

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Readiness and Management Support, to hold hearings to examine supply chain integrity, 9:15 a.m., SD–G50.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Business meeting to consider an authorization to subpoena the attendance of a witness for purpose of a hearing to Jack Dorsey, Chief Executive Officer, Twitter; an authorization to subpoena the attendance of a witness for purpose of a hearing to Sundar Pichai, Chief Executive Officer, Alphabet Inc., Google; and an authorization to subpoena the attendance of a witness for purpose of a hearing to Mark Zuckerberg, Chief Executive Officer, Facebook, 9:30 a.m., SD–106.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Business meeting to consider S. 4632, to amend title 17, United States Code, to establish an alternative dispute resolution program for copyright small claims, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to modify the scope of protection from civil liability for “good Samaritan” blocking and screening of offensive material, and the nominations of Benjamin Joel Beaton, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Kentucky, Kristi Haskins Johnson, and Taylor B. McNeel, both to be a United States District Judge for the Southern District of Mississippi, Kathryn Kimball Mizelle, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Florida, and Thompson Michael Dietz, of New Jersey, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims, 10 a.m., SR–325.

## House

*Committee on Agriculture,* Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry, hearing entitled “Challenges and Successes of Conservation Programs in 2020”, 10 a.m., CVC Auditorium and Webex.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* Subcommittee on Energy, hearing entitled “Generating Equity: Improving Clean Energy Access and Affordability”, 10 a.m., Webex.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs,* Full Committee, markup on H.R. 6986, the “Protecting Human Rights During Pandemic Act”; H.R. 7990, the “FENTANYL Results Act”; H.R. 7673, the “Represent America Abroad Act”; H. Res. 1012, recognizing the 70th anniversary of the outbreak of the Korean war and the transformation of the United States—Korea alliance into a mutually beneficial, global partnership; H. Res. 697, recognizing the significance of the genuine autonomy of Tibet and the Tibetan people and the work His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama has done to promote global peace, harmony, and understanding; H. Res. 1100, reaffirming the strategic partnership between the United States and Mongolia and observing the 30th anniversary of democracy in Mongolia; H. Res. 751, reaffirming the partnership between the United States and the African Union and recognizing the importance of diplomatic, security, and trade relations; H. Res.

1077, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on the continued importance of the United States—Lebanon relationship; H.R. 8409, the “Department of State Student Internship Program Act”; H. Res. 672, expressing support of the Three Seas Initiative in its efforts to increase energy independence and infrastructure connectivity thereby strengthening the United States and European national security; H. Res. 17, expressing concern over the detention of Austin Tice, and for other purposes; H.R. 4507, the “Protection of Saudi Dissidents Act”; H. Res. 823, condemning the Government of Iran’s state-sponsored persecution of its Baha’i minority and its continued violation of the International Covenants on Human Rights; H. Res. 996, expressing the sense of Congress that the activities of Russian national Yevgeniy Prigozhin and his affiliated entities pose a threat to the national interests and security of the United States and of its allies and partners; H. Res. 958, condemning the practice of politically motivated imprisonment and calling for the immediate release of political prisoners in the Russian Federation and urging action by the United States Government to impose sanctions with respect to persons responsible for that form of human rights abuse; H.R. 8428, the “Hong Kong People’s Freedom and Choice Act of 2020”; H.R. 8405, the “American Values and Security in International Athletics Act”; H.R. 8259, to prohibit Russian participation in the G7, and for other purposes; H. Res. 825, recognizing the importance of entry into force of the Treaty on the Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT); H.R. 4636, the “Partnering and Leveraging Assistance to Stop Trash for International Cleaner Seas Act”; H. Res. 1121, urging the Government of Burma to hold free, fair, inclusive, transparent, participatory, and credible elections on November 8, 2020; H. Res. 1115, calling for the immediate release of Trevor Reed, a United States citizen who was unjustly sentenced to 9 years in a Russian prison; H. Res. 768, calling on African governments to protect and promote human rights through internet freedom and digital inte-

gration for all citizens across the continent of Africa; H. Res. 1150, urging the Government of Côte d’Ivoire, opposition leaders, and all citizens to respect democratic principles, refrain from violence, and hold free, fair, transparent, and peaceful elections in October 2020; H. Res. 1145, condemning the poisoning of Russian opposition leader Alexei Navalny and calling for a robust United States and international response; H.R. 4326, the “Sex Trafficking Demand Reduction Act”; H.R. 7954, the “Tropical Forest and Coral Reef Conservation Reauthorization Act of 2020”; and H.R. 8438, to reauthorize the Belarus Democracy Act of 2004, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Commercial, and Administrative Law, hearing entitled “Proposals to Strengthen the Antitrust Laws and Restore Competition Online”, 1 p.m., 2141 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Natural Resources*, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 5986, the “Environmental Justice for All Act”, 12 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Oversight and Reform*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Unsustainable Drug Prices: Testimony from the CEOs, Part II”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Rules*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Members’ Day Hearing on Proposed Rules Changes for the 117th Congress” [Original Jurisdiction Hearing], 1 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Small Business*, Subcommittee on Investigations, Oversight, and Regulations, hearing entitled “Preventing Fraud and Abuse of PPP and EIDL: An Update with the SBA Office of Inspector General and Government Accountability Office”, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Webex.

*Select Committee on the Climate Crisis*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Creating a Climate Resilient America: Strengthening the U.S. Financial System and Expanding Economic Opportunity”, 1:30 p.m., Webex.